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OR STATE SENATOR

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R THE LEGISLATURE

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FRANK JAMES o the action of the County

eorgia McClintie is iil. Pollock is in Slater

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tetts & Emmons, D. G. Co. edger would like to know the address of George McGuire, Claremore, Okla

cetts & Emmons, D. G. Co. hos. Chowning has returned to ent, Mrs. Summer aize rugs from \$4.90

diw1 ketts & Emmons, D G. Co. Riia Wiilis will lecture at Unn, next Sunday afternoon, at

ber we have the J. 1. Case e lines of Implements. wi W. Conner, the grocer, has into the R. R. Buckner resi-South Jefferson street.

Ferris & Cauthorn. Frank Gibson and little sor day to visit ber sister, Mrs Ducksworth, in St Charles. e several parties who want to d3-w1

William Hardin Rixsey. el White! White! is a dandy wing machine, at the "Fix I5" wl

made skirts panama and sketts & Emmons, D. G Co. For Trade.

several farms, from forty p, I want to trade for Mexico William Hardin Rixey.

rbeumatism, aches and pains, ir system will be free, 'lli but take a nightly drink, Hollister's Booky Mountain Tea. C. A. Buckner & Co. Pearl Reed, of Columbia, who

the guests of relatives and a in this city, went to Thompuesday, for a few days visit. e is king, as good as the best

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keep a clear skin is the first like for personal beauty; to se-t good digestion is the scoret. So digestion comes from the use Hilster's Bocky Mountain Tea. I rich red blood and clear healthy 350, Tea or Tablets. C. A. Buckner & Co. W. H. Hook and wife are home Wheeling and Fortuna, Mo., they spent about ten days. Mr.

also visited Carrolloto, Mo., he made a short address in

are anxious to show you our linen and napkins. licketts & Emmons, D. G. Qu.

C. Summer, of Vernon, Tex., is oted here to at tend the funeral of nother, Mrs Summer. His daugh-Mrs. John Star Woods, of Okla-

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No matter what your allment may be; no matter what coher may have told you; no matter what of the same that il find that these akirts are much lier than the ordinary Heatherbloom lirts, at a savings of from 50 to 75 nts during this sale. See them in the ndow. Sale commences Thursday,

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REV. KOKENDOFFER RESIGNS.

red Ris Resignation at Boar seting Sunday Afternoon to Take Effect May First-Will ge to Sedalia

Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor the Christian church, has resigned. He tendered his resignation at the board meeting of the aburch Sunday Whernoon to take effect May let, and will accept a call to the first Christian church at Sedalis, Mo.

Rev. Mr. Kokendoffer has been astor of the Christian church at thi pastor of the Christian church at this place for seven years, having taken the pastorage hers May ist, 1901. During these seven years, he has won a warm place in the heart of every one who has been given the pleasure of his acquaintance not only of the Christian church, but of all the other

While it is regreeted sincerely that such a man must leave our commun-ity, the best wining of the Mexico

To the Voters of Audrain. Precious friends, you upon whom so soh of this work rests will you not pray, work, and hope for the wiedom on the part of our people, for the time to dome when the people will consider be licensed saloon as bad as huma slavery, let us bury this traffic forever and make of this nation a light for the world. Retaining the liquor traf-de for the sake of the revenue it proces is a political

The school houses we erect, the treets we pave and the water works we build with this money that drips with the very hearts' blood of the dipless will be looked upon by the ming generations as a monument of he nations chief sin and shame, the ruelty of a half-civilized people. Woe to him that buildeth a town with blood and establisheth a city by too, Friday, Mr. Hall is especially in iniquity." We are told that this trafiniquity." We are told that this traf-fic should aid in bearing the burden of ty Schools, and in securing their closer its own ravages. Oh! Christian friends w can it do this? How can it bear the state the burdens of the father and the her when the son is brought home drunk, or shot or perhaps worse still states that the McMillan High School him self a murderer? How can it ar the burdens of the wife when her in the state. is one of the best regulated school their sacred .vows that made them of Columbia, inspected the cirriculum of this high schools and allowed it five ne, has became cruel, sodden and word, look and act has been effaced? How can it bear the burdens of childpraise for the management of the hood starved, frozen, and unloved? How can a few tainted dollars bear

Mexico schools under its able and most efficient superintendent, L. B. the burdens of the stricken ones? Hawthorne. White. Call and see them, at Now in the name of suffering woman bood and childhood, in the name of enalayed manhood of God and country, The Mexico dentists were royally stertained by Dr. Fry at Moberly forward in hope and put our trust in Saturday "the Moberly Democrat

God. Our victory is in sight, if we do our part now. I pray that you will see the need of earnestness, that may rwear. Get our prices. dlwl never have appeared unto you before. There is enough in this victory for you and I,if there were not more than one hundred million more to be bless may be achived by the part that you and I have done. The thing for us ito goods all the newest abades know is that we have done our part.

The following Mexico deatists were And when we have done this we may present: Drs. J. W. and W. L. Reed, leave the rest with God. Carl Pasqueth, Charles Diggs, J. F. McWilliams and Kelly R. Bragg." Yours with Christian Love, Mrs. Ella Shoup Willis.

nerally discussed.

y any who attended

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The day taken as a whole was a big

his home northwest of this city, Mon

day night, of paralysis. Deceased has

en in ill health for about a year.

Besides his wife, he is survived b

wo children, Chas. Clapper and Mrs.

day by Rev. Cobb after which inter-

neral will be held at the home Tues-

endent of Public Schools, was in Mex-

The Residence of Mrs. J. D. Tucke Damaged \$2500 Sunday Hight-Origin of Fire Thought to Have Been Caused by Mice - Started in a Pantry.

The residence of Mrs. J. D. Tucker as partially destroyed by fire Sunday right. The fire is thought to have match by the mice.

all sorts and do every-The fire was discovered by the oc-We carry a very comand an alarm was immediately turned plete stock of optical The fire company responded compily and the fire which had gaingoods of the best quality and can supply your ed much headway was extinguished only after several bundred dollars needs at the very lowest Eyes examined free by a

lamage had been done. The damage from both the fire and water amounts to about \$2,000 on the house and \$500 on the furniture, fully sovered by insurance. The insurance on the house was \$3000 and on the fur-

Elmo Gass has an auctioneer's card in the weekly Ledger, Mr. Gass wants Hickory are handle, 36 inches

STOCK SALE

what is known as the Pollock farm 4 mile north of Littieby Station, 4 miles Pronounced a Most Capable Institu west of Rush Hill, and 5 miles northast of Mexico, on .

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The following described property: 120 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK. 34 HORSES AND MULES.

14 3-year old mules. coming 2-year-old mules coming 6-year-old mules 1 coming 7-year-old mule. 6 coming 5-year old mules. 1 extra (good Saddle Horse coming

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4 sows, will pig about April 1; oats, wt. from 80 to 100 pounds. 38 HEAD OF GOOD SHEEP.

All native Ewes. [Will begin to lamb about April 1. From 2 to 5 yrs. one for the dentists of Mexico and Moberly and Dr. Fry and the elaborate TERMS-All sums of \$10 and under

ah. On sums over \$10, 9 month time will be given on a bankable not cearing a per cent interest. No prop erty to be removed from grounds un til terms of sale are complied with. Sale commences at 10 o'clock sharp Lunch served on the grounds. Fred Ciapper, aged 67 years,a prom-

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Farber, 2:30 p m.
Laddenia, 7:30 p. m.
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He will discuss the political reconomy of local option against the saloon.
The saloon, a wealth destroyer, not

producer.
Local option sense is money sense.
Local option will increase taxable

Local option will increase taxable resources.

"Prohibition won't prohibit" — a stock argument of the saloons and their web friends.

Answered by confessions from the mouths of liquor men, particularly the great brewers.

"Local option kills trade," "saloons draw trade"—another succk argument of the saloons and their wet friends.

Answered by an appeal to history, to the actual course of history, etc., etc.

Thirteenth Birthday Celebrated. Misses Ethyl and Otle Baker assem oled a number of friends, Saturday evening, to make a pleasant birthday surprise for their mother, Mrs. John F. Baker who was fifty-two years old, and who later assured the guests that their efforts to surprise her had been very successful. This was Mrs. Bakers thirteenth birthday, she having been

born on leap year. A variety of games were played, then an appetizing lunch closed the day's pleasure. Miss Alice Dean presided Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of John Fred. deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of Audrain County, bearing date of February 29th. over the punch bowl, Mrs. D. W. Butler served hot chocolate, while Miss Golden Emerson served very delicious ce-cream and cake. The guest of the All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned C. R. Brown within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benedt of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the time of the publication of this notice, they will beforeaer barred. day were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. D. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. James, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Surber, Mr. and Mrs. J. Simcoe, Mrs. E. C. Dean, Mrs. L. Cleveland, Mr. C. M. hibited within time of the publication of the publication of the network they will beforeaer barred.

52.4t C. R. BROWN,
Administrator. Henderson, Miss Golden Emerson, Miss Alice Dean, and Miss Jessie But-

Big 10c Sale County News. 99cStore

qt. handled granite sauce pan ...10 6x10 granite bread pan

25c, for this sale 6-qt, granite pudding pan.... 1-2 gallon glass water pitcher Grunite wash basin, 13 inches across

Wool sox, the 15c kind. Nickel plated crumb tray and scra-

Child's toy broom..... 2-foot jointed rule. nicate with those who need Shoe brush with dauber regular 15c seller, this sale, pr.

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20-inch rag doll, our regular 25c seller Children's muslin drawers, ages 2 to

ndividual nickel plated tea and cof fee pots... lo oz. blown goblets, imported, Tour- Mc Clure raine & Hoffman shape.....

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SPECIAL 4c SALE Many of these articles are worth 10c, just for this sale,

lover Egg Beater, the fly whee 00 dioner plates, plain white 10c, for this sale wift's Pride Washi Our Country soap, bar 500 carpet tacks

Fire shovel ... One book needles 500 parior matches. Big roll toilet paper. Box Japanese bair pins 1 qt granite pudding pan.

One bunch shelf paper......

Mrs. Sumper Dead. Mrs. Elizabeth Sumner, aged 91 ars, died at the home of her daugh ter, Mrs. William Stuart on South Jefferson St. Monday afternoon, of

Mrs Sumner's maiden name was militabeth H. Chawning, origionally of engesee. She was married to Judge umner on the 19th of August, 1844, and the following year they removed to Monroe County, and later to Audrain County.

Mrs Sumper was one of the oldest ed most carnest workers of the Presbyterian Church. She is survived by three children, Joseph C, and James 3., and Mrs. William Stuart of this

The Ledger joins other friends in extending deepest sympathy to the bereaved ones

Funeral of Mrs. Summer. The funeral over the remains of Mrs. Summer who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willian Stewart, Monday afternoon, will be held from the residence at 2:30 Wednesday

afternoon, conducted by Rev. Aker. The Moline and J. 1. Case Gang Plows are two of the easiest handles plaws on the market. They do nearly all the work. w1 Ferris & Cauthorn.

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Rev. L. A. McConnell, who is now holding the big revival at the Metho dist Church, highly endorses "HIS WILL." For sale at

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SOUTH BENTON. Davis a good young horse.

Miss Lena Lowder closed a very suc-

to Mexico to reside. R. O. Guthrie attended a sale at

achelor last week and bought two

ton a jersey heifer for 832.50.

J. B. Lavendor is ill with grip and Dode Barnes is moving to his farm countly purchased in this neighbor

Wm. Parmer of Mc Fall Mo., the recent guest of his cousto, Albert Williams and family. Mr. Williams

cently, guess that will settle the quest on of a new house, some were for it Mrs. Lula Byars' sale was well at ended and things sold very well. Charlie Mildred has moved to the

are visiting relatives here. Mrs. John Clark is ill with grip. Rude Maddox, of Thompson, visited his brother-in-law, B. O. Guthrie and

wife, last wee . severe attack of grip. Mrs. Mavey after an extended visit

Miss Mamie Dawson of Callaway has Mrs. Robert Offut is the

Frank Mc Clures' sale was largely attended and stock sold well. Mr. Mc Clure and wife will move to Texas to live. The community regret to see these good people leave.

SKINNER. R. T. Baker is in Nevada, Mo. the guest of his mother, Mrs. Hickam The Arch Wagoner sale was wel

ward, Madge slipping to one side. attended Monday and stock brought fairly good prices. Hitt 400 acre farm one and one-half miles east of here last Thursday. We ome these good people into our

Claud Thomas bought a good span ming three year old mules at Wag-days of yere, Miss Etta Settles, of Kan oners sale Mouday. Others of our neighborhood who bought mules are C. F. Jesse, John Davenport, J. F. ed patiently for nineteen long years for this happy day, the happiest of all

Judge Spurling purchased the Per-Our recent trip to Texas is one long to be remembered. Many bright and beautiful scenes both natural and artificial were ours to enjoy. The sunny of the best of boys. Here's wishing Most all our farmers recently deliv

ered their corn to market, getting an extra good price for some, from 45 to

The Gatewood commencement exreises was a decided success. Every ember on program was simply fine Old Gatewood is certainly coming to the front alongthis line.

ad Billy Wilfley delivered a car load of hogs to Peck, McBride and McGinnis, Monday, at \$4.10 per cwt. Saturday night just as Madge and Harry Householder got to Gatewood

left last week for Oklahoma, where he barely escaped an instant death, but expects to locate.
Dr. Cox came up from Wellsville injury is possibly done. Dr. says that coliar bone may be alightly fractured. The wedding bells has again rung in our vicinity, and it fell the lot this time of Mr. John W. Blum to lead to

hymen's altar, his old sweetheart of onths with his brother Mr. Mathews has sold his pla ortheast of town to Jas. Subothe and purchased Mrs. Jacobi's house, where

with an attack of Tonsilitis Mrs. N. D. Martin is spending a feweeks with relatives in Kansas City. RUSH HILL Many of our citizens are unable to

e out on account of sickne C. E. Casper shipped out three cars of hogs last week. Many changes are taking place, not We understand the entertainment at Fox Friday night a week was a Walker Holloway shipped a load of hogs to St. Louis; last week, rec'd \$4.40 dr wood will occupy the house vacathogs to St. Louis; last week, rec'd \$4.40 dr wood will occupy the house walk will take possession of the property he re-

Mexico where he has purchased pro

and things sold well.

Born, to John Gosselle and wife, Feb. 27, a fine girl. Tessie Cauthorn is still chilling Walter Dowell has moved to Aunt

Miss Cora Crawford, who has

teaching in Boone county the past winter, is here visiting her many old

TEMS FROM HERE AND THERE

The roads are worst of the winter. Rev. Tucker preached two good ser-tions at Mt. Zion last Saturday and

Dr. J. Flints little infant was bur-

ed at Mt. Zion cemetery last Sunday

Mr. Ed Lowery's father of Kentuc-

ky, is moving to the Ed. Sharp farm.

Ed has moved to the Mrs. Tanner

property at Molino.

Mrs. Blum's sale was well attended

Wm. Wainscott has moved to the Charlton farm which he has purchas-



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John Myerpeter has gone back to St. Good for you John. Don't be afraid of Louis after a very pleasant visit with T. W. Smith.our Burlington Agent,

friends and schoolmates. Miss Cora is one of many teachers who received Mrs. Butler of, Martinsburg, is the uest of her father E. W. Pritchet. Fauch Rickman, returned last week

sas City, Mo. We hear they have walttheir life possibly, to take place. They were married in Kansas City, and Mrs. Marion Walker is suffering came immediately to the grooms far m one mile east of here. The bride for-

they so richly deserve, as thier portion Mr. Roberts and family moved to the Jim Spurling farm two miles north of here.
Messrs Bud and Cecil Mallony and

hool house, to the entertainment,

MARTINSBURG. Victor Rodgers, who has been visit-

warm friends, while the groom is

cently bought of Mrs. Ray.

the past month, left Tuesday for perty.

Wm Farrah and family will move to

Lon Blum's farm. W. D. Miller has imoved to Clyde

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